

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
NORTHWESTERN DIVISION**

RODNEY RAPHAEL COOPER,)
Plaintiff,)
V.) Civil Action No. 3:06-cv-1125-MHT-SRW
JAY JONES, et al.,)
Defendants.)

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE SPECIAL REPORT AND ANSWER

COME NOW Lee County, Alabama Sheriff Jay Jones, the Defendant in the above-styled cause, and move this Court to grant them an extension of time of 7 days in which to file their Special Report and Answer which are currently due on March 1, 2007. As grounds for this Motion, the Defendants state as follows:

1. Defense counsel is in need of additional time to obtain and review additional documents from the Defendants in order to provide the Court with a meaningful Special Report.
2. The Plaintiff will not be prejudiced by this one week extension.

WHEREFORE Defendants request this Court to grant them an extension of time to file their Special Report and Answer on or before March 8, 2007.

Respectfully submitted this the 1st day of March, 2007.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this the 1st day of March, 2007, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, and that I have mailed by United States Mail, postage prepaid, to the following non-CM/ECF participant:

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